

**Mission Statement:** *We welcome all to our inclusive spiritual community. We affirm our Unitarian Universalist Principles and put them into action by worshipping together, caring for one another, and working for a safe, just, and sustainable world.*

**First Parish in Cohasset  
Unitarian Universalist**

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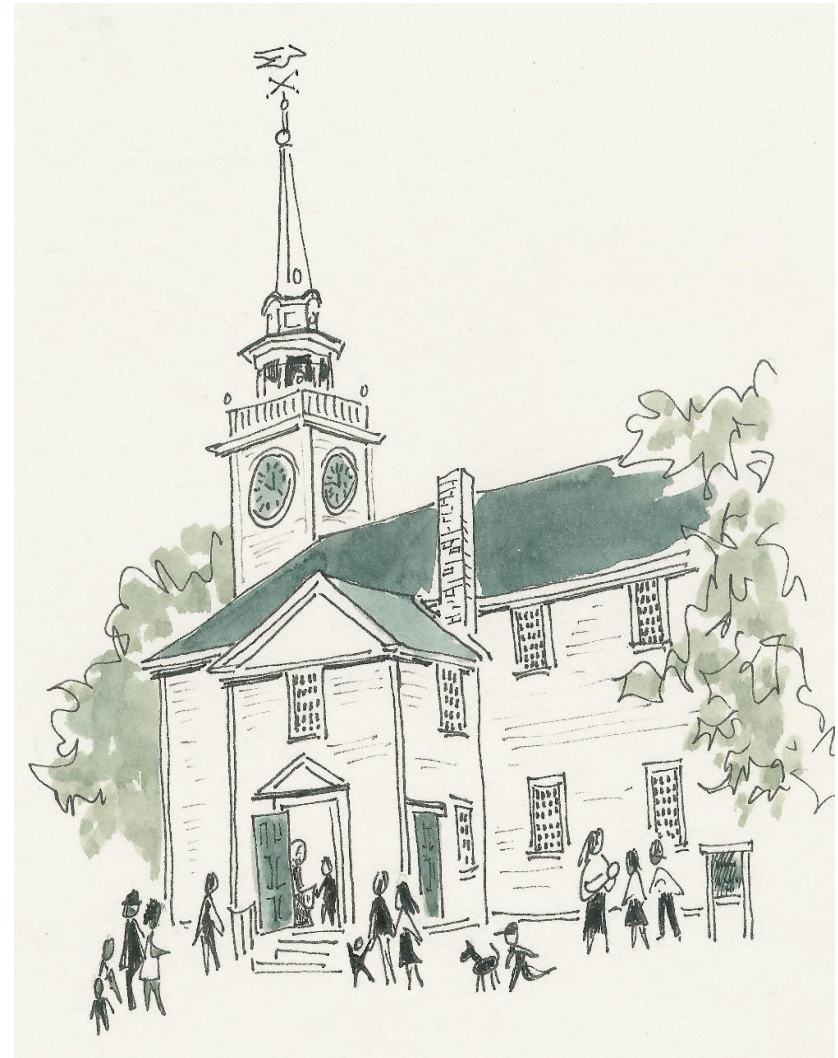
**Minister:** Rev. Dan Harper  
**Director of Religious Education:** Dr. Kate Sullivan  
**Music Director:** Mary Beth Courtright

**Parish Committee:**  
Tara Volungis, Chair; Bev Burgess, Vice Chair;  
Pete Parker, Treasurer; Susan George, Clerk;  
At-Large Members:  
Nancy Robertson, Peter Sexton, and Caroline Struzziero

**Rev. Dan Harper's Office Hours:**  
Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays from 9:30a-5:00p.  
Please contact the Parish Office or Dan to schedule an appointment.

**February 2025 / Care Circle Coordinator**  
**Mary Parker / 781-383-9152 / maryparker250@gmail.com**

<b>Worship Associate:</b>	Eric Kluz
<b>Coffee Hour:</b>	Alves Family
<b>Usher(s):</b>	Volungis Family
<b>Flowers:</b>	Given by Mark and Abigail Alves: "Wishing our daughter, Grace, a very happy 25th birthday."



**February 9th, 2025**



If you would like to give to this morning's offering online, please use the first QR code above. **Please write "Sunday offering" in the comments.** Scan the other two codes to follow us on FaceBook and Instagram!

**Order of Service  
Rev. Dan Harper**

**Welcome**

**Prelude:** "Wandering Alone"  
from *Homeless Spirit Suite* Ann Ruane

**Opening Words: #502**

**Hymn: #208**, "Every Time I Feel the Spirit"

**Unison Chalice Lighting Words: #494**

**Moment for All Ages:** Mary Beth Courtright  
#1007, "There's a River Flowin' in My Soul"

**Candles of Joy, Sorrow, and Concern**

**Prayer and Meditation –**

**Hymn in response: #1045**, "There Is a Balm in Gilead"

**Readings:** from "Two Cheers for Symbolic Capitalists"  
by Musa al-Gharbi  
from "Rough Sleepers: Dr. Jim O'Connell's  
Urgent Mission To Bring Healing to Homeless People"  
by Tracey Kidder  
*Read by Eric Kluz*

**Choir Anthem:** "All of Us Are Loved"  
Amanda Udis-Kessler, Spanish lyrics by Abraham Ellis

**Sermon:** "The Experience of Homelessness" - Dan

**Offering:** "Through the Tempest"  
from *Homeless Spirit Suite* Ann Ruane

Our Plate Share for February continues in support of **Black Lives of Unitarian Universalism**. BLUU is committed to expanding the power and capacity of Black UUs within Unitarian Universalism; providing support, information, and resources for Black Unitarian Universalists; and justice-making and liberation for Black people through our faith.

**Closing Hymn: #1053**, "How Could Anyone"

**Unison Closing Words:**

Go out into the world in peace,  
Be of good courage,  
Hold fast to what is good,  
Return to no one evil for evil.  
Strengthen the fainthearted  
Help the suffering;  
Be patient with all,  
Love all living beings.

**Postlude:** "Finding a New Path"  
from *Homeless Spirit Suite* Ann Ruane

**Next Week's Service:** "The Presidency and Our Civil Religion"

Join us after today's service for **coffee hour** across the street at the Parish House. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!